SUBJECT No. 542.

Appointment of competent natives as members of the Sanitary Board.

Messrs. Gundu Rao, Basave Gowda and Nanjundaiya, Bowringpet Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Eighty-two villages of this taluk are included in the Sanitary Board and the members of the Board are all Europeans; it is requested that competent natives also may be admitted to the Board as members to represent the interests of the raiyat population, and the sanitation and other requirements.

Reply of Government.—Noted. As many native members as are possible under the rules are allowed at present.

SUBJECT No. 543.

Construction of a tank near the village of Rajamakalahalli.

Messrs. Gundu Rao, Basave Gowda and Nanjundaiya, Bowringpet Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Betamangala tank was the only large irrigation work in this taluk, and this has been reserved for the supply of water to the Kolar Gold Fields. It is under consideration to construct a tank near the village of Rajamakalahalli in the Budikote hobli across the Markandeya stream. It is prayed that this tank may be constructed early, as by doing so, about 1,000 acres of land will be brought under cultivation and a large revenue will accrue to Government.

Reply of Government.—Noted for future consideration when money is available.

SUBJECT No. 544.

Water-supply to Chikballapur by pipes.

Mr. Veerauna, Chikballapur Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—Owing to scarcity of water felt in this town (Chikballapur), for some time past, it was under contemplation to remedy it by supplying water through pipes from the Rangadhamanakere tank close by. Requests that the project may be carried out.

Reply of Government.—The project has to lie over for the present for want of funds.

SUBJECT No. 545.

Repairing the road between Bagepalli and Watadahosahalli.

Mr. Jevalappa, Bagepalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Prays for repairs to the road between Bagepalli and Watadahosahalli.

Reply of Government.—The matter will be referred to the District Board.

SUBJECT No. 546.

Repairs to the Hosur tank.

Messrs. Krishnachar, Aswathaiya and Sanjive Gowda, Goribidnur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Pray for the repair of the Hosur tank, towards which a contribution of Rs. 1,547-6-6 has been recovered from the raiyats and credited to Government about four years ago.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration.